

# Phi Sigma Phi Sorority Donates Funds to City of Hope



**HUMANITARIAN CHECK**—Mrs. Norma Jean Long, president of the Phi Sigma Phi Sorority, presents check to Bill Binder, executive coordinator of City of Hope, at recent luncheon of group, while Mrs. W. W. Howe looks on. Contribution represents year round activities of sorority on behalf of the free, non-sectarian Medical Center.

The year round activities of Phi Sigma Phi Sorority benefited the City of Hope Medical Center by more than \$650, it was revealed at a recent luncheon of the group at the Jumping Jack Chuck Wagon, WALTERIA.

Mrs. Norma Jean Long, sorority president, made the announcement as she presented a final check for the year 1957 to Bill Binder, executive coordinator of the City of Hope. The majority of funds were raised through the sorority's main social event of the year, its Founder's Day Dance held last October. Mrs. Long pointed out, while the balance resulted from numerous other charitable events. The money will be used to help further the free, non-sectarian Medical Center's three-phased program of patient care, research and postgraduate medical education.

The check presentation luncheon was hosted by Zeta Chapter of Phi Sigma Phi, with Lenore Bryan and Helen Stalcup, both of Lomita, in charge of arrangements. Mrs. W. W. Howe, Harbor City, served as chairman.

Sorority chapters participating in the event were Zeta, Chi, Gamma, Kappa and Iota.

## H. Wood PTA

**By MRS. PAUL G. CROSSMAN**  
The annual Pot Luck Dinner of the Howard Wood PTA was held on February 6 at 6 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Past presidents and guests were honored and introduced by Mrs. C. W. Strahm, president. Honored were Mrs. Lee Polick, president 1954-55; Mrs. William Dickson, president 1955-56; Mrs. P. M. Crossman, president 1956-57; also Mr. Robert Evans, principal and Mr. Walter Buettgenbach, vice-principal.

The Mothersingers Group under Mrs. Jack Hoy sang "Challenge," "Calm as the Night," and "Brahm's Lullaby." The highlight of the evening was the presentation of two Honorary Life Memberships. Mrs. Hiro Muranaka narrated the accomplishments of each recipient as the committee placed small replicas on two camellia bushes which were later given to the recipients. Assisting were Mmes. Strahm, Crossman, R. D. Hines.

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## Temple Menorah Sisterhood Holds Square Dance

Temple Menorah Sisterhood will hold a square dance this Saturday at 8 p.m. in the Grant Community Hall, 2301 Grant ave.

Ralph Hill, known throughout the area for his teaching of square dancing, will do the calling. Proceeds of the dance will go towards furnishing the kitchen of the Temple's new building which is to be erected this summer.

Plans are being made by Mrs. Martin Schulsinger, chairman, and Mmes. Robert Collins, David Morrison, Albert Carmona, Jack Belford, Ira Lichting, Walter Schwartz and Jack Hodus. The public is invited. For further information call Frontier 8-1087.

## Hawaiian Garb To Be Featured At Lion Luau

Hawaiian costumes, Polynesian food and dancing will be featured at the Torrance Lions Club Luau which begins at 8 p.m. Saturday at the Portuguese Bend Club.

More than 150 Lions' members are expected to attend the event which marks the 13th anniversary of the club.

Dr. R. J. McWherter, a member of the Hollywood Lions Club, will be guest speaker.

## No. Torrance Lions Hold Annual Valentine Dance

North Torrance Lions will hold their annual Valentine Dance on Saturday at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Gardena.

Mrs. Earl Chambers, president of the women's auxiliary, said that the women are helping their husbands with the decorations which include a five-foot red satin and tulle heart with two, three-foot silver glittered cupid's on each side.

Tickets to the event may be obtained by contacting Mrs. Chambers, at OA 4-2557.

## Flavian PTA

**By MRS. G. H. WADE**  
Mrs. John Black, ways and means chairman of Flavian PTA announced recently that the Saturday comedy movie will include several short reel comedies plus cartoons. This 80 minutes of comedy films will be shown at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. in the school cafeteria, Flavian and Hallson sts.



**HAPPY COUPLE**—Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Tregarthen of Lomita held open house this past week end to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary. Joining in on the celebration were three children and eight grandchildren. They were married in Santa Ana in 1907.

## 300 Attend 50th Wedding Anniversary

Celebrating their golden wedding anniversary on Saturday and Sunday with an open house were Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Tregarthen, 26035 Cypress st., Lomita.

The Tregarthen's were married in Santa Ana on December 31, 1907, and celebrated their anniversary the past week end. It was delayed because of Mrs. Tregarthen's illness.

Among the three hundred guests who attended the event, were the Tregarthen's three children and eight grandchildren. Mrs. Doran Tregarthen, daughter-in-law, made all the gold and white decorations for the house.

## El Camino Chi Theta Chi Hold Installation

Chi Theta Chi Sorority Alumnae of El Camino Junior College recently installed officers at a candlelight ceremony in the home of Mrs. Walter Walsh in Los Angeles.

Newly installed officers are: Mrs. Jay Pratt, president; Mrs. James Landy, vice president; Mrs. Howard Neill, recording secretary; Mrs. Larry Sprecker and Mrs. Jack Slater, corresponding secretaries; Mrs. Duane Hederson, treasurer; Mrs. Denny Haas, historian; Mrs. Walter Walsh, sergeant-at-arms; and Mrs. Jack Patterson, editor-in-chief.

Outgoing president of Chi Theta Chi was Miss Barbara Patterson.

## Gardena Valley Jewish Center Sponsors Dance

Paul Barlin, noted square dance caller, will teach and call dances at 9 p.m. Saturday at the Gardena Valley Jewish Center, 14725 S. Gramercy Pl., Gardena.

Sponsoring this affair are Mmes. Seymour Sorashevsky, Lipstein, Edward Portney and Ruben Kursitsky.

Proceeds of the dance will go toward the many projects of the Gardena Valley Jewish center sisterhood.

## Lomita-San Pedro PTA Council

**By MRS. R. GROVERMAN**

Mrs. Walter Talley, president of Lomita-San Pedro PTA Council, presided at the Founders' Day Council meeting held at Lomita Elementary School on February 4. Lomita PTA presided of allegiance to the flag and Mrs. Robert Oster, led the and Mrs. Joseph Butler, Lomita PTA Founders' Day chairman and Fleming PTA president, gave the inspirational message.

Plans were made for the March Council meeting which will include a breakfast at White Point School.

A very fine record of the Mother Singers' Chorus made at the PTA Convention last year was played.

Mrs. Harvey Ichelson played two piano selections — "Ramona" and "Juanita."

Local presidents gave their monthly reports. Lomita Elementary principal, Mrs. Jane Rye, was introduced. Mrs. David Goolsby gave a parent education report and Mrs. Howard Fults gave a magazine report.

Mrs. W. E. Zell, Council Honorary Life Membership chairman, presented an Honorary Life Membership to Dr. Joseph Muddy, noted San Pedro physician who is a volunteer doctor at the San Pedro PTA Health Clinic. In the past he has received a 10 year service pin from the PTA.

Mrs. Robert Oster introduced the luncheon committee under the chairmanship of Mrs. Charles Likens. Presidents and representatives were present from the following schools: Bandini, Barton Hill, Cabrillo, Crestwood, Fifteenth Street, Halldale, Harbor City, Leland Street, Lomita Elementary, Park Western Place, Point Fermin, Seventh Street, 223rd Street, 259th lace and White Point.

## Anza PTA

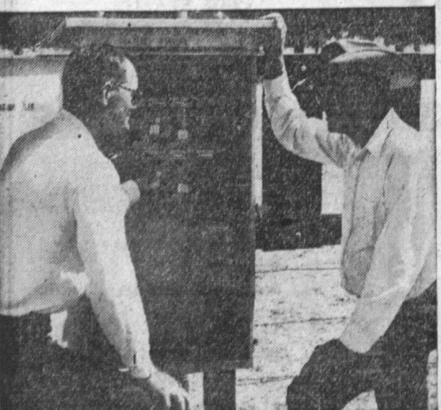
**By MRS. F. L. NOTCH**

Anza School PTA will be celebrating its first birthday today. At this "Founders' Day" meeting, one of the first grade rhythm bands will play and the Mother Singers will also provide some entertainment. Mrs. W. B. Salby, program chairman for Founders' Day, will present a short talk and an Honorary Life Membership will be awarded to a worthy recipient.

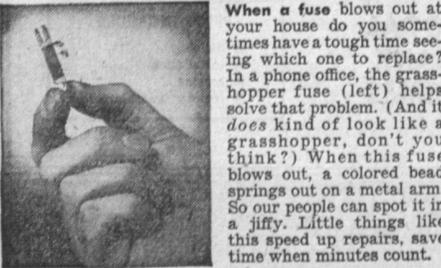
A parents education program has been started at Anza School, and has proven very successful. The discussions are conducted by Mrs. Mary Ann Hennigan and Mr. Carl Shaner, principal. The next two discussion periods will be February 18 on "Sound Habit Training" and February 25 on "Sex Education of the Young Child."

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### St. Philomena Women's Council Sponsors Dance

The women's council of St. Philomena Catholic Church will sponsor a Valentine Dance at 8 p.m. Saturday in the school hall at 21848 Main st., Torrance.  
Phil Arturo's Band will furnish music for the dance. Women who are in charge of refreshments are Mmes. Marlon Wenker, Bernice Niles, Mary Andich, Mildred Turner, and Louise Ahearn.

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**Sweetheart Chocolate Pie**  
1 package chocolate pudding and pie filling mix  
1 baked 8-inch pie shell  
1/2 cup cream, whipped and sweetened  
2 cups milk

Combine pie filling mix and milk in a saucepan. Cook and stir over medium heat until mixture comes to a full boil. Remove from heat. Cool only about 5 minutes, stirring once or twice. Pour into baked 8-inch pie shell. (If desired make pie shell with small pastry hearts around the edge). Chill the pie. Before serving, decorate with hearts of pink peppermint-flavored whipped cream.

To Make Pink Peppermint Whipped Cream Hearts. Add few drops peppermint extract and few drops red food coloring to sweetened whipped cream. To make heart designs, make outlines on top of filling with a cookie cutter. Then fill in the heart shapes with whipped cream, spreading with spatula.

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